PRICE ONE CENT.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1889.

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WARRANTS OUT

English Dupes Want to Arrest the Electric Sugar Swindlers.

Mrs. Friend Says the Company Has Represented Too Much.

She Denies Her Contract Calls for Sugar Refined from the Cane.

"State's Evidence" Jerry Gets Out of the Way.

Ten Shares of Electric Sugar Stock Sold To-Day.

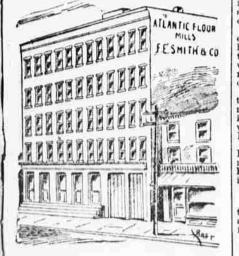
Mr. Robertson Is Not Financially Ruined Through the Company.

(SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.) LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5. - Warrants have been issued for the arrest of Mrs. Friend and her stepfather, W. E. Howard.

The price of the shares has fallen from £117 to 80 shillings. When Howard was here some months ago he lived in great style at the Adelphi Hotel.

He was a glib talker and a man of very taking address.

Stock Exchange and the sugar market to-day. It is the revelations in the affairs of the Electric Sugar - Refining Company which has been operating in the mill of the old Atlantic Flour Milling Company in Brooklyn by which stock that had been booming along at \$450 a share has dropped te something less than nothing.



EXTERIOR OF THE "ELECTRIC" REFINERY. (Which is about all the stockholders ever saw.) It is the general belief that all has not yet been told.

Are there others than Mrs. Friend, W. O.

Howard and his wife, her father and mother. and Gus and George Halstead responsible for the swindle? is the question asked on all sides to-day. Ten years ago "Prof." Henry Friend,

Ten years ago "Prof." Henry Friend, claiming to be a New York electrician, appeared in Liverpool asking for financial aid for the development of a process for refining sugar by electricity which he haid discovered. He was unsuccessful, but in 1884 J. U. Hobertson and William H. Cotterill, Englishmen and a Mr. Woodworth, of this city, organized a joint stock company with the title "Electric Sugar-Refining Company" and opened offices in this city.

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The capital stock was to be \$1,000,000 in 10,000 shares at \$100 each, the Company to use the invention of Prof. Friend.

For this Friend received 6,000 shares and Woodworth was elected President and Robertson Secretary and Treasurer at salaries of \$300 a week each. Woodworth died and Woodworth died and Cotterill was selected as President.

FRIEND KEPT HIS SECRET. But Friend retained the secret of his invention on the ground that it was not yet quite perfected. He was to reveal it when the stock was all subscribed.

The building of the old Atlantic Flour Milling Company, in Brocklyn, was leased and one-stock was all subscribed.

"I decline to state the disposal of Milling Company in the mill

and operations were begun in the mill.

Friend had for his assistants his wife, her

stepfather, W. O. Howard; Mrs. Howard, Gus and George Halstead,

ALLEGED TO BE BELATIVES.

To maintain secrecy, burglar-proof labora-tories were built on the two upper floors, and here the work was done, the "company" and people who were investigat-ing the affair as an investment only seeing the results of the work in beautiful white sugar, which was delivered to their on a lower floor through chutes connecting with the laborators.

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Jerry Flanagan, a stalwart young Irishman, was installed as watchman, and no one but the electrical experts were admitted.

Friend died March 16 last, and his widow claimed to have received his secret from him and continued the work till a week ago, when she and her assistants all disappeared.

They went to their former home in Milan, Mich., and, according to Mr. Robertson, Messrs. Cotterill and Robertson opened negotiations with them. offering \$75,000 in cold cash for the secret. But there was a hitch, and then Mrs. Cotterill and Robertson say that they repaired to the mill and forced their way into the laboratories.

There they found that sacks of raw sugar which had been sent up to the secret room were there still unopened, and that boxes and barrels, supposed to have contained machinery secretly made, for which the company had paid \$180,000, resily contained refined sugar in the loaf.

Instead of refining the raw sugar by this electric process the electricians had only run loaf sugar through a granulator and thence down through the chutes to their gullable victims.

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EVERYTHING SEEMED LOVELY.

A, month ago Messrs. Willett & Hamlon, brokers at 102 Wall street, sent a representative over to the mill, and in their weekly sugar statement of Dec. 13 say that the editor had been present at severativists of the electric sugar-refining process and that at one of these 23,753 pounds of raw sugar were used in the secret room, analyzing 94-70 cane, 1.14 grape, 1.84 water, .43 ash, 1.89 organic substance,

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This was delivered in half bags inside of ten minutes, two stories below, and seventy-nine barrels were filled, weighing 22,341

nine barrols were filled, weighing 22,341 pounds net.

A month ago Henry P. Thompson, a British patent agent, came to New York in the interest of the English stockholders in the Electric Sugar Refining Company, ostensibly to arrange for patenting the process of Prof. Friend throughout the world, but incidentally to make a thorough investigation of the affairs of the Company.

MR. THOMPSON BETURNS TO ENGLAND. He returned to England on the Umbria this morning, and will meet and pass in mid-ocean the Birmingham stockholders, who are on their way to New York to look into the

are on their way to New York to look into the matter.

President Cotterill started for Michigan yesterday, and Treasurer Robertson says his errand is to obtain the arrest and return of Mrs. Friend, Howard and wife, and the Halsteads to New York, where they will be prosecuted both civilly and criminally, Jerry Flanagan having agreed to turn State's evidence.

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Mr. Robertson claims that there has been but little stock sold to Americans, the victims being mainly Englishmen.

Mr. Thompson is a middle-aged Englishman with a full beard of brown and eurling black hair. He talks fluently about the affairs of the Company, but reserves some information for a public statement which he says he is going to write.

'My business in England was that of shipowner at Liverpool," he said this morning.

'My father and my grandfather were shipowners. I wish to God I had stuck to it, a business I knew something about! I came to New York in 1884 to arrange with the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Insurance Association for transacting their business in England.

'I was jutroduced to Mr. Woodworth by a

Treasurer, and the directors were Mrs. Friend, Mr. Howard, Mr. Cotterill, myself and Robert E. Sniffin, the architect of Tammany Hall.
"Mr. Cotterell received \$30 a week as

President, I got \$30 as Treasurer an Sniffin \$30 a week as Superintendent. FUNNY ABOUT MRS. FRIEND'S STOCK, ISN'T IT?

"About \$350,000 worth of stock has been sold. Of this 7,207 shares are held in America, including Canada. This includes 499 shares which I held as Treasurer, a few

shares which I held as Treasurer, a few of which have been sold.

"There are sixty-five American sharehold-ers, but I will name only Mrs. Friend, who holds 5,250 shares, having paid into the treasury 750 shares, Mr. Cotterill and myself. who own 1,160 stares, for which we paid nothing, and Lawson N. Fuller, the amount of whose interest I decline to state.

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There are 526 English shareholders and they have 2,793 shares and a few more which may have been transferred without our knowledge, for the stock has been speculated with largely in New York, Liverpool and The largest amount of stock is owned in

Liverpool by bankers, brokers and heavy merchants, but the stockholders in Birming-ham are in the main poor people, who can ill afford to lose their savings. MR. ROBERTSON'S VISIT TO ENGLAND. "I took samples of the sugar purporting to have been electrically refined to England

and it was everywhere declared to be the finest sugar the dealers had ever seen. \$100 SHARES SOLD FOR \$300. "I sold to Thomas O. Easton, of McFee & Son. Liverpool, a practical refiner, ten shares

HASN'T LOST ALL HOPE? "The stock sold as high as \$450 a share, but "The stock sold as high as \$450 a share, but Mrs. Friend has always steadfastly refused to sell a share of her stock, and this fact, the fact that the sugar found in solid blocks in the supposed machinery barrels is refined beyond any work ever done by the old processes, and the fact that grape sugar has been granulated by the Friends, and by them alone, makes one wonder whother, after all, the stock of our Company may not be made good if we secure the secret vrobe made good if we secure the secret pro-cesses by which these results are produced. In raply to queries regarding the disposi-tion of the \$350,000 received for stock, Mr.

Robertson said:
"I have told you that we paid \$180,000 through Friend and his wife for the construction of the wonderful machinery which they claimed to use, and about which they were so secret that it must be taken into the

were so secret that it must be taken into the building closely boxed and barrelled.

"We have invested \$45,000 in improvements on the mill building, under the direction of Mr. Sniffin, and for botters, engines and hoists. WAS THIS MES. FRIEND'S 6,250 SHARES?

"A sale of stock in Michigan was to have been consummated by the payment of \$75,000 WON'T TELL ABOUT WHAT IS LEFT.

" I decline to state the disposal of the balance now. I will make a written public

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DESERTED BY CREW

Scythia, the Cunarder, Said to Be Heavily Overloaded.

She Started for England, but Stopped at Quarantine, Boston.

Some of the Men Take the Case to the British Consul.

Boston, Jan. 5. - The Cunard steamer Seythis started at 12 o'clock this noon for England. She got only as far as Quarantine, however, as part of her crew deserted the

They reported to the British Consul that the steemer was loaded above Plimsoll's the stemer was loaded above Plinson's mark.

The British Consul tried to stop the ship at the dock, but was too late, as she had got away before she could be overhauled.

The Consul has taken charge of the crew, who are now stopping at the Mariners' Home.

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At this hour the Scythia is lying off Quarantine, and rumor says she is trying to get men to take the places of those left.

A reporter visited the Cumard office, on State street, and stated to a clerk (the agent being absent what he had heard, asking the office to confirm or denythe story. The clerk admitted that the office had heard of the affair, but that they had no information for the newspapers.

DEAD BABES IN A HAT-BOX.

Found Strangled and Carclessly Buried at East New York.

The police of the Seventeenth Precinct, Brooklyn, are busy investigating the discovery of the dead bodies of two male infants, apparently but a few days old, found in a apparently but a few days old, found in a pasteboard box, buried three feet in the ground in a desolate lot in East New York.

Thomas and Adam Miller, who live in Atkin street, near the Western Parkway, were out gunning yesterday, when their dog stepped short and began a vigorous digging state of the pround.

stopped short and began a vigorous digging and scratching in the ground.

He scratched to the depth of about a foot and brought to light a pasteboard box of the kind used in stores to pack ladies' hats in. The lid was partly off, and the forms of two very young babies were seen inside. The young nen took the box and its contents to Cant. French. Capt, French.

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On opening the box the Captain found that the bodies were wrapped in Canton flannel and presented a scrupulously neat appearance. One of the little boys' eyes was, however, blackened as if by a blow. Both faces were very red and death seemed to have been caused by strangulation. The bodies had been in the ground but a short time.

GIRLS CATCH A HIGHWAYMAN.

Exploit of a Detective's Plucky Daughter and Her Companion.

The general impression was that he was sort of American Monte Cristo.

He adopted similar tactics in London,
His electric shares sold in both places like the proverbial hot cakes.

The English dupes swallowed his fairy tales with childlike faith.

Their indignation now knows no bounds.
Hundreds of brokers in Capel court who invested their money in the company are trying to get rid of their white elephant at all ing.

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at the assex market Police Court this morning the fellow described himself as Joseph Goldstein, aged twenty-seven, of 240 First avenue. He was held by Justice Patterson in \$1,000 bail for trial.

MR. BLAINE'S DAUGHTERS HERE.

At the Fifth Avenue Pending Their Jour-

ney to Washington. Miss Blaine and Miss Hattie Blain arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel this morning and took possession of the apartments engaged for them by the will of John Amory Codman vs. Martha their father, and which they will occupy for P. R. Codman et al. a few days pending their departure to join Mr. Blaine in Washington.

BASEBALL BREVITIES.

Fuller will cover short for St. Louis. Will Danny Richardson sign to-day? Will Danny Richardson sign to-day?

Jim Hart hears from an "authoritative source" that Morrill will play first base and manage the Boston team next season.

Come. President lyrne, aren't you tall enough to knock off that chip?

Harry Wright wants to know if President Day egoing to pick all the plums from the schedule Matt Kilroy, pitcher of the Baltimore Club, and his seven brothers, will play a game of base-ball with a picked team of uptown professionals in the main building on the State Fair Grounds in Philadelphia to-day.

Funeral of John R. Stevens.

The funeral of John Bhinclander who died on Jan. 3, took place at St. Bartholo-mew's Church, Madison avenue and Fortyfourth street, this morning, Rev. Dr. Breer offi-ciating. At the desire of the family the services were private, but a minuter of intimate friends of the decreased were present. The interment took place at Greenwood.

Crowe's Brother-in-Law Heid. In Yorkville Police Court this morning Jame Crowe was committed without bail to await the action of the Grand Jury, on the charge of kill-

ing his brother-in-law, Michael Crowe, at Forty-eighth street and First avenue, last Monday night. "Hans the Earber" was held as a wit-ness. A Toledo Resident Shot by Burglars. Tolebo, O., Jan. 5. —The residence of Nicholas avenue, was entered by two burglars last night.
Mr. Spross grappled with them and was shot in
the abdomen. Several suspicious characters
have been arrested. Spross, a well-known business man, on Woodruf

Continuing the " City Record " Reform. Mayor Gract continued his work of reform in the Board or City Record at to-day's meeting. At his suggestion provision will be made towards securing the supplies furnished the dif-ferent departments by contract instead of as now at retail rates.

The Next Boodle Trial. District-Attorney Pellows said this morning that the name of the boodler first to be tried at the extraordinary term of the Court of Oyer and Terminer will be made public early next week.

CHOOSE YOUR HUSBAND!

And Thereby Ascertain Whether or No Marriage Is a Failure in Your Case.



Edification of the Gentler Sex. It is a Little More Difficult than the Other Version, but yet a Degree Simpler than Matrimony Itself. Pick out Your Number, Thread the Maze and Learn Your Fate!

BAD NEWS FOR SWEET VIOLET.

John Amory Codman Was Unduly Influenced by Fascinating Mrs. Kimball.

IMPROVATE TO THE EVENING WORLD-I Boston, Jan. 5, - The full bench of the Supreme Court this forenoon gave a decision affirming the decree of the single Justice in the case of William S. Dexter, executor of

This is the celebrated Codman will case which has been pending so long before the courts, and which has been the subject of courts, and which has been the subject of great public interest. Mr. Codman in his will leaving a great hart of his large estate to Mrs. Eliza Ann Hales Kimball, the "Violet" of the amatory letters from Mr. Codman, which were made public in the case.

The excenter appealed first from a decree of Judge Holmes, who decided that Mrs. Codman had the right to appeal from the description.

cree of the Probate Court allowing the will, and, secondly, to the decrees of Judge Cherles Allen, who refused to set aside the verdict of the jury which found that the will of Codman was executed under undue in-fluence on the part of Mrs. Kimball,

TIMAYENIS ENJOINED.

He Must Not Interfere with the Minerya

Publishing Company. Justice Andrews, of the Supreme Court, to-day granted a temporary injunction, upon the application of Emma Dickson, restraining Telemague T. Timayenis, the Greek, from further interfering with the luminess of the Minerva Publishing Company or the assets of said business, and ... eys due the Company, said business, and from collecting any mon-

News from Khartoum Withheld. INV CALLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION. I

LONDON, Jan. 5. - A despatch from Cairo says it has become known that the military authorities there have received additional and later news from Khartoum; but for some reason, probably connected with the situation at Sun-kim, they decline to make the information pub-A similar reticence is maintained at the War and Foreign offices here.

Comedian Mackey Still Hiding. It is stated this morning that Comedian John A. Mackey is still in retirement, but that he is Heavy Rains To-Day; Clearing Sanday.

Washington, Jan. 5,

-Weather indications:

For Eastern New

York: Heavy rains;

casterly voids high on
on the coast, followed on
Sunday by electing
neather and northwestorly winds.

SULLIVAN WILL GO.

He Says a Fight Shall Be Arranged at Toronto.

Or at Least It Won't Be His Fault If There Isn't.

Kilrain and His Party Expected to Be Promptly on Hand.

The telegram received from Boston and

printed in a morning paper, stating that John L. Sullivan had decided not to go to Toronto
Monday to meet Jake Kilrain and his representation from here, I guess."

"Any one from New York?"

"Any one Inakers. They leave sentatives on account of the arrangements for his benefit needing his personal attention, caused a surprise in this town to-day.

If Sullivan had decided to remain in Boaton, however, he changed his mind, for this morning Arthur T. Lumley to-delved a telegram from him saving he would leave Boston for Toronto tounght and be on band at the Bossin House Monday merning at 11 o'clock, the hour stipulated by the Kilrain party.

Jack Harnitt, Sullivan's trainer, will go to Toronto with John, and therefore they will be Joined by Charley Johnson, of Brosklyn, Sullivan's backer, and a representative of the Posscalet Acces, who will leave this city to morrow, we will be a supported at the country. He were a great-coat, trimmed with fur, a work of dark goods,

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For Ludies in Delicate Health, The Dog's Head Brand of GUINALSS'S STOUT. ...

JOHN L. OFF FOR TORONTO. Kilrain's Backers Will Find Sullivan on

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.) Boston, Jan. 5.-To see how Sullivan recoived the news of the insisted more arrange. ments and what he intends to do about it, an EVENING WOELD reporter interviewed him today. The champion was found in the office of the new Marlboro Hotel. He was leaning a to over the counter, examining a railroad guide. "Well, Mr. Sullivan, what do you intend to

do about the me-ting at Toronto?" asked the reporter after preliminary greeting. "Intend to do about it?" ejaculated the deep bass voice of the champion as he looked up in apparent astonishment, "I intend to up in apparent astonishment. "I intend to go to Toronto by the very first train that will carry me there. I am trying to find out about the time the trains leave now. Eve

go to Foronto by the very first train that will carry me there. I am trying to find out about the time the trains leave now, I've never gone there direct from here before." "Will any one go with you?" "Yes, Farnett will go, but no one else.

"Yes, my backers. They leave there to-lay, I onderstand."

Trout headache, todinestion, constitution, torpid liker, Ac. The use of Dr. Pikine's Pleasant Priliers, however, would transform these unfortunates and cause them to sing—

But my spirit shall wander Through gay comb bowers,

And frisk with the mermaids,

AT GUTTENBURG.

A Dump in the First Race, with Ben Thompson Winner.

Louise and Tiburon Took the Second and Third Races.

Melodrama's Rider Ruled Off and an Investigation Ordered.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. NORTH HUDSON DRIVING PARK, N. J., Jan 5 .-The usual crowd was present at Guttenburg to-day, notwithstanding the unpleasant weather. The track was fetlock deep in mud. Mr. Carr

The starting to-day was better than it has been for some time.

The day's sport opened with a dump in the victory of Ben Thompson, an 8 to 1 shot.

The talent hit it in the second race, when Louise won, and again in the third, when

Tiburen got the purse.

The riding of Melectrama in the second race was the subject of much comment. The rider, Redfield, was ruled off and an investigation is ordered. FILST BACE.

Julia Miller, 107. (Bergen) 3

Time-1,003a.
Pat Onkley, Watch Em, Peter L., Voucher and
Woodstock also ran.
The liace.—When the flag fell Julia Miller was
the first to show, followed by Watch Em and
Woodstock. Ben Thompson conk the lead at the
stand and held it to the quarter, where Woodstock went by. Ben Thompson came up on the
backstretch and led to the fluish, winning by a
head from Joe Pierson, who was a half length
before Julia Miller.
Betting—Ben Thompson straight, 8 to 1;
place, 3 to 1; Joe Pierson for the place, even,
Mutnels paid: Field, \$10, 25; place, \$5, 75; Joe
Pierson paid \$5, 95.

SECOND BACE. Purse \$200; seven furiongs.

Louise, 95. (H. Penny) 1
Melodrama, 115. (Redfield) 2
California, 112. (Kelly) 3
Time—1, 1446.
Montana, Regent, Pocomoke, Krishna and
Roundsman also started.

The Race.—Melodrama was the first to show,
followed by Louise and California. Louise took
the lead at the first turn and from that out was
never headed, winning by a neck from Melodrama, who was five lengths from California.
Melodrams was under a deal pull throughout
and could have won had Redfield let her go.
Betting—Louise, straight, 8 to 5; place, 3 to
5; Melodrams for the place, even. Mutuels
paid \$5.50; place, \$3; Melodrama paid \$4.10.

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FOURTH BACE. Purse \$250; selling allowances; mile and a Jurie Frau Frau Grand Commerce Francis and Not Guilty were the other starters.

The Race, —Joe Mitchell got under the wire a femath in front of Truchorn, who was a head letter than Costello at the first turn. Charley Arnolf and Tenacions fell, but did not injure themselves or riders.

Betting—Joe Mitchell straight, 8 to 1; place, 3 to 1; Truchorn for the place, 7 to 5 Ma-3 to 1; Trueborn for the place, 7 to 5. Mu-tuels paid \$13.75; place, \$9.70; Trueborn paid \$7.85.

FIFTH BACK.

e. Parse \$200; for beaten horses; five furlongs, Wen by Arthur W., Carlow second, Mollie Thomas third.
Time -1.0845,
Moturls paid \$5,05; place, \$3,10; Carlow paid \$4,05.

Olifton Entries for Monday. INTECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. 1

CLIPTON RACE TRACE, N. J., Jan. 5 .- Followng are the Clifton entries for Jan. 7; editor, is in Buffalo with Kiram and Mitchellar and the seem will go to Toronto either to perfect the serious and the seem of the serious and will at order than it is, to give him an opportunity to have the state of moeting fixed a few days later than it is, to give him an opportunity to have his benefit arranged, but he has thrown everything asite and will attend to making the match.

Sullivan's sentiments are expressed in a letter received by Mr. Lumley the morning, in which he ways he fulls fill the date of moeting site and will attend to making in which he ways he fulls fill attend to talk it over with the champion.

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In the same letter Sullivan sand. ond Hace-Purse \$250 selling allowances; seven-its of a mile. By ano. d. 121. Bela. 122; Amos. Fred Attanpe, 119; Lattle Feitee, 117; Sir Rod-117; Fountain, 119; Lattle Feitee, 117; Osborns,

Horace E. Deming, counsel for the Produce Exchange, filed in the County Clerk's office today two judgments, aggregating \$54,094.05, against Abscender Wijnam II, Foster, jr., who was counsel for the Exchange Gratuity Fund.

Yakusa Niwa Goes Up.

Yakuso Niwa, exporter of Japanese goods, doing business as the Nippore Mercantile Company at 47 Barclay street, made an assignment to-day to William G. Hamilton.